

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In a pplication of:

BOYER, Frank

Examiner: Stephen Johnson

Appln. No. 10/800,403

Art Unit: 3641

Filed: 12 March 2004

For:

SHOTGUN CHOKE WITH INTEGRAL WAD-STOPPING FEATURE

NOTICE OF APPEAL

To The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

With reference to the final Official Action dated 20 December 2005, the time to respond being today, the undersigned hereby appeals the Examiner's rejections of claim 3. Claims 1 and 3-9 are pending, but only claim 3 is appealed.

Please charge the appeal fee of \$250.00 under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(b)(small entity), plus any and all additional amounts or insufficiencies to our Deposit Account 03-3565 (a duplicate copy of this charge authorization is attached). Thank you for your cooperation and assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

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